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**In Re The Application of:
Buch et al.**

Serial No.: 10/694,328

Filed: October 27, 2003

For: ENCODING METHOD USING
CODE VIOLATION POINTERS

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Art Unit: 2819

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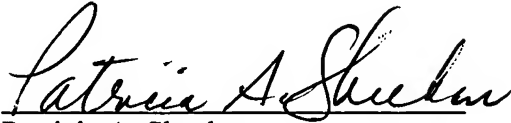
We have reviewed the Examiner's Reasons for Allowance and submit that the claims are also allowable over the art of record based upon other and/or additional reasons. Those skilled in the art will recognize that other distinctions between the claimed invention and the prior art are possible. Accordingly, we reserve the right to file one or more continuation applications and/or a reissue application, including a broadening reissue application.

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